TO-MORROW
WE CLOSE AT NOON

THAT WE MAY TAKE PART IN THE MEMORIAL EXERCISES TO BE HELD IN HONOR OF OUR BELOVED AND LAMENTED

President McKinley

The death of our chief executive comes to each of us as a personal bereavement, and we are sure it is the sincere wish of every true citizen to make the occasion an impressive one, a lesson in loyalty to our youth, and a fitting rebuke to anarchy of every stripe.

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PROBLEM OF CREED

Congregationalists Experience a Ripple Over Higher Criticism.

REV. J. H. SAMMIS CONDEMNS IT

To-night the Association Will Celebrate the Semicentennial of the First Church.

The paper by Rev. J. Sidney Gould, of Owatonna, on "Our Realization of the Presence of God in the Bible" caused a slight ripple at the morning's session of the General Congregational Association of Minnesota at the First church, Fifth street and Eighth avenue SE.

The paper while generally well received, met with the opposition of a few, and was roundly criticized by one delegate. Exception was taken to that part of the paper having to do with higher criticism.

"May it not be," asked Mr. Gould, "that the present lull in religious activity is caused by the uncertain tone of so much of our preaching to-day? There can be no doubt that such is the case. We are being brought to feel—we must feel—that there is a call for us to declare certain facts discovered to us by higher criticism. These discoveries have not undermined our faith in Christ; they have rather given us a new Christ—new in the sense that he is clothed in a garb of historical substantiality that the Christ of the old theology never had.

"What is toh inder the preacher of to-day from calling men to a new faith in this Christ—to his telling them, honestly and frankly, that so far as faith in Christ as the complete and final revelation of God is concerned, that whether Isaiah is a double or a single book, whether Moses wrote the Pentateuch, or whether the story of Jonah is allegorical or historical are minor matters, and declare to them with the same positive insistence that was a part of the ministry of a century ago, that we have an awakened and established faith on the part of mankind. When this is done I believe we will have a new revival."

Mr. Sammis Dissents.

Rev. J. H. Sammis, of Merriam Park, took very decided issue with Mr. Gould. He objected particularly to the expression "the new Christ."

"I do not believe in a new Christ," was Mr. Sammis' emphatic and somewhat excited declaration. "I believe that the Christ of to-day is the Christ of our fathers, and that he is becoming more and more dear to us. I object to the whole foundation and ground work of so-called higher criticism. I glory in the fact that I am standing to-day just where I stood twenty years ago."

Mr. Sammis appeared to be in a minority. Mr. Gould's paper was heartily applauded and at the conclusion of the session his admirers pressed about him to shake his hand and thank him for voicing their sentiments.

For Disabled Ministers.

Rev. E. A. Berry, D.D., of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, presented an overture from the Iowa state association, with regard to making adequate provision by the church for the care and support of aged and disabled ministers.

Rev. Dr. Theodore Clifdon, of the Congregational Educational Society, made an eloquent presentation of the claims of Windom Institute, at Montevideo, Minn., for financial aid from the asociation. He said that $7,000 of the institute's debt had bene raised and that $6,000 yet remained unsatisfied. He appealed to the delegates to take up subscriptions for the cause in the churches throughout the state.

The prayer for the "Church and Ministry of Minnesota" was led by Rev. William C. A. Wallar.

The work relating to the federation of benevolent societies by the business committee, was the last business of the morning. The Minnesota Home Missionary jubilee, over which President Strong presided, was the feature of the afternoon. Fifty years of missionary service in the state was reviewed in the discussion. A collation was served by the ladies of First church in the Sunday school rooms late this afternoon.

This evening there will be an address by Rev. W. Douglass Mackenzie, D.D., on "The Coming of the Kingdom of Our Christ."

There were two hundred delegates in attendance this afternoon. Among the distinguished visiting delegates are Dr. James E. Roy, of Oak Park, Ill., representing the American Missionary association, Rev. George V. Clark, a former slave of Charleston, S. C.

Rev. Richard Hall, of St. Paul, is the patriarch of the association. President Northrop of the University of Minnesota is about the pioneer member of the First church.

The fiftieth anniversary of the First church of Minneapolis will be celebrated this evening. There will be toasts and addresse sappropriate to the occasion.

EDUCATIONAL WORK

The Association Hears Reports from School and Colleges.

President Strong's report on Carleton college yesterday afternoon showed that $100,000 had been raised last year. On condition that $100,000 should be raised, $75,000 more had been forthcoming from Dr. Pearson of Chicago, lifting the total endowment fund for the year to $175,000. There were 200 students in the collegiate department at the beginning of the year. In the attendance the proportion of men to women is four to five.

Principal Burton of Windom Institute told of the work at that institution for the year. The report on Chicago seminary was postponed on account of the absence of Rev. Reuben L. Breed.

The question of holding the meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society coincident with the general assembly was referred to the presidents of the two societies at the meeting of the Woman's Home Misisonary Society in the afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Brown told of children's work in the junior societies. Mrs. F. A. Sumner's report had to do with the Sunday schools, auxiliaries and mothers.

The directors' work was in charge of Miss C. W. Nichols, the address, "Woman's Work in Vermont," being delivered by Miss S. Abbiss Chapin. Devotional exercises were conducted by Miss C. F. Swift.

With the exception of Mrs. H. S. Baker of St. Anthony Park, of the children's department, who resigned on account of ill health, the officers were re-elected. The officers are:

President, Mrs. Catherine W. Nichols, St. Paul; vice president, Mrs. G. R. Merrill, Minneapolis; Mrs. J. F. Taintor, Rochester; Mrs. Alexander Milne, Duluth; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. R. Shepard, Minneapolis; recording secretary, Mrs. W. M. Bristol, Minneapolis; treasurer, Mrs. A. W. Norton, Northfield; auditor, Mrs. Horace Goodhue, Northfield; department secretaries, young people's work, Mrs. B. W. Smith, Minneapolis; programs and bureau of exchange, Mrs. J. V. V. Lewis, Hutchinson. Mrs. Baker's place will be filled later.

The association was welcomed in the evening by Rev. Ernest W. Shurtleff. Rev. William Medlar preached the sermon. The Lord's supper was celebrated.

CLUBS AND CHARITIES

At the reception given last night at the Friends' church for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swift of Jamaica they gave a very interesting account of their missionary work in the island for the past ten years. They told of the success of the efforts toward n aking the mission self-supporting, $1,000 being raised yearly to maintain the work. A fund of $1,000 to build a new chapel is now being raised, of which the island has already contributed $150. Mr. Swift made an appeal for funds for the establishment of a boys' school. The program included songs and recitations by a little East Indian boy who is with the Swifts, and this was followed by an informal reception during which refreshments were served.

The Crescent Ramblers, Chapter No. 1, L. P. G. C., reorganized Saturday evening at 2006 Twenty-first avenue N. Officers were elected as follows: President, Fred Wharton; vice president, William Siebert; secretary, Charles Wentzel; treasurer, Grover Martin. This club will meet only once in two weeks during the coming winter instead of every week as heretofore. An informal reception will be given by the superintendent on Saturday evening.

The Authors' Study Club held its first meeting of the club year on Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Brant. It was decided to begin the fall work by studying the life and works of Alfred, Lord Tennyson.

TO WED A SOLDIER

Daughter of Minister Conger to Be Married This Week.

Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 18.—The marriage of Miss Laura Conger, only daughter of Edwin H. Conger, United States minister to China, will take place Friday night, to Lieutenant Fred E. Buchan of the United States army. The ceremony will be performed at 8 o'clock at the home of J. S. McConnell, uncle of Miss Conger, at 4359 Lake avenue, Chicago.

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In Social Circles

The marriage of Miss Mayme Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Myers, to William Clarence Meader was solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock in Gethsemane in the midst of pretty appointments and witnessed by a host of friends. The rector, Rev. Irving Johnson, read the service, and the bridal music was played by George H. Normington. A program was played during the seating of the guests by the ushers, Messrs. George Meader, Fred Faude and Charles Farnham of Milwaukee.

The church decorations were entirely in green, the altar being banked with palms and ferns. As the bridal chorus of "Lohengrin" began, little Ina May Haseltine, niece of the bride, entered, bearing a white satin cushion. She was daintily gowned in white mulle trimmed with lace, and carried pink asters. Miss Amy Meader, maid of honor, and the bridesmaids, Misses Katherine Davis of Boston and Edith Smith and Gertrude Eliot of Moorhead, followed. They were gowned alike in white dotted mousseline de soie over pink silk, and carried large bouquets of pink asters. The bride entered on the arm of her father, who gave her away. Her gown was of white silk mulle over silk; both skirt and bodice were tucked and incrusted with point lace. The trained skirt was finished with a plaited flounce edged with narrow ruching. Her veil was fastened with a diamond sunburst and she carried a bouquet of bride roses and maidenhair ferns. Ernest Daily of Chicago served Mr. Meader as best man.

A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Myers, 148 Linden avenue, followed the church service. Here the decorations were beautiful and in gala colors. In the parlors meteor roses were used in wall packets and in vases arranged amid masses of palms and ferns. The dining-room was in white and green, the centerpiece of the table being white roses, while smilax festooned the table and chandelier. The guests were received by the bride and bridegroom, with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Myers and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Meader. Assisting through the rooms were Mr. and Mrs. George C. Farnham, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haseltine, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Walker. Mrs. John Hannam, Mrs. Joe Hannam, Trempealeau, Wis.; Mrs. Kate Buffington Davis, Miss Katherine Davis, Boston; Mrs. J. R. Eliot, Miss Eliot, Moorhead, Minn.; Charles Farnham, Milwaukee, and Ernest Daily, Chicago, were among the out-of-town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Meader have gone east for their bridal trip and will occupy their new home at 2632 Humboldt avenue after Nov. 15.

As much as possible the day of President McKinley's funeral will be marked by a cessation of all social affairs. Postponements of parties and formal functions have been numerous. The dinner and german which Miss Paine was to give to-morrow for the Thomas-Hahn bridal party will be given this evening instead and Miss Quirk's luncheon at the Minikahda Club has been postponed to Saturday. To-day the girls of the bridal party were entertained at a small, informal luncheon by Miss Mabelle Soule of Elwood avenue. Covers were laid for nine. The decorations were in green and white, a basket of asters being used for a centerpiece. The bride's chair was marked by a bouquet of asters tied with white ribbons. Yesterday Miss May Wells entertained the same guests and Miss Florence Akeley and Miss Florence Alexander of Keokuk, Iowa, who is Miss Wells' guest. The table was decorated with yellow flowers and the bunch of asters which designated the bride's chair were white.

The marriage of Miss Jessie Kopenhefer to Henry Greenblatt will take place to-night at Thirteenth Avenue M. E. church, and the ceremony will be followed by a reception at the new home of the bridal couple, 824 Tenth street S. Last evening Miss Kopenhefer gave the bridal dinner at her home on Fourth avenue S. Covers were laid for ten and the table decorations were pink carnations. The bride gave her maids brooches as souvenirs, the bridegroom gave stick pins to his ushers and a watch guard to the best man.

Cards have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Colyer of Morris, Minn., announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Baxill Colyer, to Herbert Howard Stevens of Minneapolis on Saturday, Sept. 21.

A handkerchief shower was given Tuesday evening by the Misses Hulett, for Miss Mabel Ramsdell, whose marriage to John H. Koll occurs Sept. 24. The table decorations were green and white and covers were laid for ten.

The Misses Julia Beck and Emma Miller entertained last evening at the latter's home on Elliot avenue S. Music and games were the diversions and refreshments were served. Clusters of pink flowers and green foliage carried out the color scheme of pink and green.

Personal and Social.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simms have returned from Nipering, Canada.

S. A. Ballentine was called to Alexandria last evening by the serious illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Eastman of Hot Springs, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John De Laittre.

Mrs. J. W. Schlenker left yesterday for the east on a business trip of several weeks' duration.

Mrs. William Haynes left yesterday morning for Redfield, S. D., to make a two weeks' visit with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burch Moffett are now living in the new Balmoral apartments, at 2820 First avenue S.

Myrtle lodge, D. of H., will give a card party and dance this evening at its hall, 2413 Bloomington avenue.

Palestine chapter, O. E. S., will hold a card party Saturday afternoon, Sept. 21,, sixth floor, Masonic Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. White of Brainerd are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Barber, 730 E Seventeenth street.

Mrs. A. C. Krieg and little daughter, Constance, have returned home after a three weeks' visit in southern Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ritchie and family will close their cottage at Meadville on Friday and return to their city home.

Miss Ella Miller, of Sleepy Eye, who has been the guest of Miss Emma Miller, of Elliot avenue S, has left for home.

Mrs. E. S. Williams left last evening for Chicago, where she will spend several months with her daughter, Mrs. John S. Small.

The card party and dance to be given by Leal lodge, D. of H., Thursday evening, is postponed to Saturday evening, Sept. 21.

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The United Pleasure Club will give its popular dances this season in the new A. O. U. W. hall, Fifteenth avenue S and Seventh street.

The dance to be given this evening by Roosevelt hive and Palestine tent has been postponed on account of the death of President McKinley.

Beginning Saturday evening, Nicollet lodge, No. 16, A. O. U. W., will give a weekly series of cinch and dancing parties at 225 Central avenue.

Mrs. William M. Crosse, who is spending a few days with her parents, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Herrick, at Bay City, Wis., will return home Friday morning.

The Ladies' Aid Society of All Souls' Universalist church will give a harvest supper and social at the church parlors at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Weston will visit their daughter, Mrs. Victor Gnaedinger, of Montreal, the last of this month, and Mrs. Gnaedinger will return with them.

Northwestern people at New York hotels: Minneapolis—Continental, Mrs. Argersinger; Ashland, A. R. Brown; Park Avenue, Miss E. A. Phillips; Imperial, W. T. Weld. St. Paul—Ashland, S. J. Agnew; Belvedere, John Gomack; Murray Hill, D. R. Noyes; Manhattan, E. O'Connor and wife; Albert, J. E. Samuelson; Imperial, G. W. Turner.

SOUTH DAKOTA W. C. T. U.

Large Attendance Expected at the Watertown Meeting.

Special to The Journal.

Watertown, S. D., Sept. 18.—The annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of South Dakota will begin on the 26th in this city and last until the 30th. Local members are making great preparations for the meeting and predict an exceptionally large attendance. Speakers of world-wide renown will be in attendance and there will be three sessions daily.

NOT OWNED BY MORGAN.

London, Sept. 18.—The directors of the White Star line declare there is no foundation for the report that J. P. Morgan has obtained control of that line.

Sheet Music

At Metropolitan Music Co., 41-43 6th st S.

MINNEAPOLIS DRY GOODS CO.

Thursday Morning Bargains

Thursday at noon our store will close for the day. After that hour the thoughts of the civilized world will be focused on Canton, Ohio. Our patrons would rather come to us in the morning than have us commit the sacrilege of keeping open at such a time. Here is what we offer to make it worth your while:

Silks.

Very handsome new Black Grenadines, in plain and fancy stripes, at $1, $1.25 and $1.50.

45-in. White Crepe de Chine, at $2.00.

Black Tucked Taffeta, $2.00 quality, at $1.50.

Beautiful line of new Warp Prints, $1.00 to $3.00,

White Goods (*Main Floor.*)

40-inch Victoria Lawn, fine, clean woven goods, 15c quality (limit 10 yards) Thursday morning only, yard..... **10c**

Hosiery Dept. Ladies' seamless black cotton Hose, double soles and high spliced heels; a regular 10c stocking; pair **7c**; 4 pairs.. **25c**

Ladies heavy cotton fleece lined Hose, seamless and stainless, made of best combed yarn, lisle finished, with double heels and toes; per pair..... **12½c**

Children's heavy fleece lined Hose, fast black, corduroy rib, with double knee, heel and toe; pair..... **12½c**

Children's pure worsted Hose, 2x1 rib, extra spliced merino heel and toe; pair..... **25c**

Men's heavy black cotton Hose, pure Egyptian stock, with high spliced heels and double soles; would be a good stocking at 18c; pair..... **12½c**

Men's 2-thread Cashmere Hose, extra quality, merino heels and toes, in black or natural; a 25c stocking, **18c**, 3 pairs for.. **50c**

Men's Furnishings

Men's colored Dress Shirts, latest fall and winter patterns, of Garner's best percale, one pair link cuffs, detached..... **$1**

Men's colored stiff Bosom Shirts, in blue and oxblood stripes, one pair link cuffs, detached; worth 69c..... **50c**

Boys' Sweaters, all wool, round necks, in navy blue and maroon with colored borders on neck and cuffs and around bottom; good value at $1.25; each.... **$1**

Lace Department

Bargain Table.

Torchon Laces and Insertion to match, ½ inch to 2½ inches wide, 5c to 8c qualities. Thursday morning, per yard..... **2½c**

12,000 yards of Laces, manufacturers' sample pieces, in Net Top, Chantilly, Oriental, etc., 2 to 7 inches wide, in white, cream, ecru and black; regularly 29c to 59c a yard. Thursday morning.. **17c**

Lace Curtains and Draperies

The time for the day's trade being reduced by more than one-half, we offer some exceptionally good bargains for all who come during the four hours that the store is open.

For instance, there will be a sale of **Chamber Curtains.** These are made of a fine quality of bobbinet, with lace edged ruffle and insertion.

$2.50 values will be sold at..... **$1.69**

$2.25 values will be sold at..... **$1.49**

The above prices are for pairs.

Scotch Net Curtains, in Brussels effects, at **$2.98 $1.98** and **$1.25** a pair.

Real Brussels Curtains at a saving of **40** per cent to **50** per cent per pair.

$12 values at..... **$7.98**
$9 values at..... **5.98**
$7 values at..... **3.98**
$5 values at..... **2.98**

Irish Point Curtains—At similar reductions from prevailing prices. Pair:

Real $6.00 Curtains at.. **$3.95**
Real $7.50 Curtains at.. **5.50**

Curtain Rods; for lace curtains; each..... **9c**

Window Shades, 3x6 feet; each..... **19c**

Silkoline, in new and pretty patterns, 30 and 36 inches wide; per yard, **5c** and **10c.**

Art Ticking, we selected only the prettiest patterns for the making of artistic bed coverings; per yard..... **30c**

Art Muslin for curtains and bed coverings; per yard..... **12½c**

Curtain Swiss, 36 inches wide; fine quality; per yard..... **12½c**

Draperies—We are showing more novelties and better ones than ever before, which is saying a good deal. Special values at **$10, $7.50, $5, $2.95** a pair.

Couch Covers, 50 inches wide, fringed on every side, at **$2.75** and **$1.49.**

Imported ones, each, from **$12** down.

Tapestry, for draperies, in Persian stripes and floral designs; goods that sell at 60c a yard; sale price..... **39c**

Bobbinet, for curtains; per yard..... **15c**

Cloak Department.

Ladies' Box Coats, 27 inches long, made of heavy black Venetian Cloth and lined throughout with mercerized sateen; high storm collar. A regular $7.50 coat for, each..... **$5**

Ladies' Box Coats, of fine Washington Mills Kersey, in tan, castor, blue and black, with velvet coat collar and lined throughout with a good, heavy satin. A good $12.50 coat for, each..... **$10**

Ladies' Automobile Coats, of fine Kersey, in tan, castor and black, with high storm collar, lined throughout with silk serge. A good value at $22.50 for..... **$16.50**

Another lot of Oxford Gray **Walking Skirts,** regularly $4.00, for, each..... **$2.98**

Glove Special

Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, extra fine quality, in all, good colors, priced regularly at $1 and $1.25 a pair. Thursday morning.. **50c**

Notions

Ladies' Hose Supporters — Our regular 50c line, made of fancy frilled silk, in black and all colors, with rubber button fasteners and pin top. Thursday morning per pair..... **38c**

Toilet Pin Cubes, containing 100 best pins, assorted. Thursday morning, only..... **5c**

Hardware Department

Chair Seats, oak and mahogany finish. Your choice, any size, each..... **8c**

Job lot of **Bread and Cake Knives,** slightly soiled; worth up to 25c. Choice, each..... **5c**

Wooden Salt Boxes, worth 15c, for..... **10c**

Hardwood Clothes Pins, dozen..... **1c**

Sisal Clothes Lines, worth 15c, for..... **7c**

Corn Poppers, 1 qt., each..... **8c**

Flannels, Cloakings & Blankets. (*In Basement.*)

Cinderella Twilled Flannelette, in plain colors, light and dark blue, pink, cream and cardinal. They come in remnants from 1 to 10 yds. This is the kind you always pay 12½c for; per yard..... **10c**

White Domet Flannel, 32 inches wide, heavy, soft and fleecy, 5 to 10-yard pieces, extra value, per yard..... **8c**

White Baby Flannel, 26 inches wide, nice, soft quality. Thursday only, per yard ... **21c**

Boucle Cloaking, 54 inches wide, plain colors, navy, cardinal and cadet blue, per yard..... **$1.25**

10-4 Cotton Blankets, colors tan and gray, pair.. **50c**

12-4 Cotton Blankets, in tan or gray, extra size; soft and fleecy; per pair.. **$1.25**

Underwear Dept.

Men's heavy wool fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, extra well made and finished; regular 50c; special, each..... **39c**

Ladies' ecru Jersey ribbed, fleece lined Vests and Pants; are splendid goods to wear; 39c value. Special..... **25c**

Children's, Misses' and Boys' fleece lined Vests, Pants and Drawers, in plain and ribbed; for size 18..... **15c**

(Rise **3c** each larger size.)

Undermuslin Dept.

Short Flannelette Skirts—In fancy stripes, with deep flounce, Thurs. morning, ea **39c**

Another line, extra heavy weight, in pink and blue, deep scalloped flounce with embroidered edge, extra value at..... **48c**

Flannelette Gowns—Extra heavy, with wide yoke, collar trimmed with lace, each... **85c**

Other good values at **50c, 75c.**

Knit Underskirts—In dark blue, black, gray and red; all wool, extra quality; each..... **$1**

Linen Department

20x40 Pure Bleached Huck Towels, with red borders; regular 15c values. With a limit of 6 to each customer we will sell them Thursday morning at, each **8½c**

18-in. **Russia Toweling,** the 12½c grade, sale price (limit 20 yards) per yard..... **6¼c**

Jewelry Department.

Watches, with second hand, stem wind and stem set, warranted for one year, each.. **98c**

Sash Pins—In gold plate and silver, set with imitation turquoise, always sold at 69c. Thursday morning each, at..... **39c**

Black Satin Belts—The residue of a stock that sold up to 65c each, at..... **39c**

The Passion Play— One presentation will be given Thursday, at 10:30 a.m. Buy a dollar's worth of goods and get an Admission Ticket FREE.

Sea Serpent Off China Coast

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 18.—Hongkong and Kobe papers received by the steamer Empress of India publish as authentic report of a sea serpent off the China coast. The report, which is signed by Captain Wolfe, first officer, second officer, first engineer, two pilots and four seamen of the Chinese steamer Lung-sting, says that when off Chuk-Chao island, in latitude north 22, longitude 113 east, a sea serpent between forty and fifty feet long and about a foot in diameter, was seen. A gig was sent to kill it and several blows were made with a boathook, but after striking at the boat the big serpent dived and was lost.

Old Hero Fined for Fishing

Special to The Journal.

Oshkosh, Wis., Sept. 18.—Edward Murphy, ex-chief of the fire department at the world's fair grounds, and the hero of the burning of the cold storage building, was arraigned in the municipal court on the charge of illegal fishing. He was charged with setting a line in Wolf river, and with failing to maintain the necessary flags and tags.

Mr. Murphy pleaded guilty to the second part of the charge, paying a fine of $25 and costs. He explained that he had placed the necessary flags, but that they had been stolen, together with the fish.

Long Lost Brothers Meet

Special to The Journal.

Minot, N. D., Sept. 18.—A strange experience befell Theodore Heiser, formerly of Milwaukee, who passed through this city on his way to Wilson Creek, Wash., to locate. Heiser is a farmer and stock raiser, and had three carloads of stock with him which were switched upon a side track while the west-bound through freight was being made up. He was attending to his stock when a stranger approached him and inquired if he did not need help to look after the cattle while on the journey to the evergreen state. As the conversation proceeded Mr. Heiser looked at the stranger more intently, and finally inquired where he was from and his name. As Mr. Heiser had thought, the name was the same as his own, and instantly he embraced the man. "Don't you know me?" he inquired, "I am your brother, Theodore; you are Dan."

The brothers left Stuttgart, Germany, together nearly thirty years ago, but became sepaated at Jersey City shortly after they landed. Each had mourned the other as dead. They spent the afternoon relating their experiencs, and departed together in a happy frame of mind for the free government lands of eastern Washington.

Miles and Hill Run a Race

Special to The Journal.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 18.—Major General Nelson A. Miles and President James J. Hill of the Great Northern Railroad company indulged in an exciting impromptu foot race at Billings yesterday and the army officer won easily.

In company with Senator W. A. Clark they were on their way to Canton, Ohio, to attend the late President McKinley's funeral, in Mr. Hill's private car. They were standing on the platform at the extreme rear end of their car talking to some friends. The engine crew ahead was busy fixing a hot box on one of the tank's wheels. Suddenly and without warning the train began to move and the two men thought it was starting out of town.

The train was short and the engine a powerful one, and in a half-coach length would be moving at a ten-mile rate. To get on board they must either climb over the high iron railing that surrounded the observation platform or make a run of sixty feet to the front platform of the car. In an instant and without consultation, both decided to run for it and they started even. It was a hot race while it lasted and General Miles distanced the railway man, winning by seven feet.

Just as they had mounted the platform the train came to a standstill. The engineer was simply pulling down to where the station platform was lower in order that he might work on the hot box to better advantage.

OUR DAILY BREAD

Valuable Hints for the Kitchen and Dining-Room.

BY KATHERINE KURTZ.

NO. 2—ARTICLE.

Fruit Puddings for Early Autumn Dinners.

Pineapple Pudding.

Butter the pudding dish and line with slices of stale sponge cake. Pare and slice thin, a large pineapple, place it in layers in the bottom of the dish, sprinkle with sugar, then add another layer of pineapple, then more sugar and so on until the dish is nearly full, then pour over the fruit two-thirds of a cup of water; cover with slices of the cake dipped in the cold water. Cover with a plate and bake slowly for two hours. Bread may be used instead of the cake and is better because not so rich.

Apple or Peach Charlotte.

Butter a deep earthen pudding dish and line the sides with slices of bread cut about an inch thick soaked in cold water to soften a little and then spread with softened butter; fill the dish with sliced, tart apples, grate a nutmeg and sift with a cup of sugar and strew over the apples; then pour on a cup of water. Cover the apples with more bread slices, soaked and buttered; then cover with a plate that will fit down inside the basin and bake in a moderate oven four hours. Remove from the oven half an hour before ready to dish and set where it will cool. Then loosen carefully around the edges with a flexible knife and turn it out on the serving dish. Serve with sweetened sugar and cream. This makes quite a handsome dish.

Peach Dumplings.

Put four cups of sifted flour into a bowl, add two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt and sift twice again; then rub in thoroughly a large tablespoonful of butter; moisten with milk until you have a soft dough and roll out quarter of an inch thick. Cut into squares that are large enough to fold over a large peach. If the peaches are small, pare and slice two or three onto each square of dough; if peaches are large, however, pare them but do not remove the stones as they give a finer flavor. Fold the dough over the peach, pinching the edges together and either tie up loosely in pieces of muslin and steam or boil for an hour or bake in the oven.

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Carry a full and complete line of food specialties. We sell large quantities and they are always fresh.

TOASTED WHEAT FLAKES

Sold by Grocers.

Actually the only thoroughly cooked Cereal Food.

Magnify a flake of Toasted Wheat and note its translucent heat-browned structure. The quadruple cooking to which it has been subject has dried every pore and portion of it. The "pastiness" of the starch of the wheat does not exist in this greatest of all foods because the starch has been "heat-digested" and thereby converted into dextrine, ready for immediate assimilation to Blood, Bone, Brain and Brawn. This food *does not become a pasty mass when moistened.*

TOASTED WHEAT FLAKES are widely imitated, even in Battle Creek, so in order to protect the public in securing the genuine, and ourselves, we have placed a picture of the Battle Creek Sanitarium on each package. Don't accept substitutes.

Battle Creek Sanitarium Food Co., Battle Creek, Mich.